

# PATENT

**Client-Matter No.: 66671-043  
(P-SC 5711)**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:  
Hunter and Lu**

**Serial No.: 10/616,410**

**Filed: July 8, 2003**

**For: NIMA INTERACTING  
PROTEINS**

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## AMENDMENTS

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.**

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			CLIENT-MATTER NO.: 66671-043 (P-SC 5711)
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Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ Small Entity status of this application has been established under 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Petition for Extension of Time is enclosed (in duplicate).
- ☐ Terminal Disclaimer with fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d) is enclosed.
- ☐ No additional claims fee is required.
- ☒ An additional claims fee is required and has been calculated as shown below:

## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

	NUMBER AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY FILED	NUMBER OF EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENTED		RATE		FEE	
					SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER ENTITY
TOTAL CLAIMS	27	- 20	- 7	x	\$9	\$18	= \$63.00	\$
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	5	- 3	- 2	x	\$42	\$84	= \$84.00	\$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM		YES	X NO		\$140	\$280	= \$0.00	\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE							\$147.00	\$

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- X Please charge my Deposit Account No. 502624 the amount of \$147.00, which covers the additional claims fee. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 502624. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 502624 any fees under 37 CFR 1.17 which may be required under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) for an extension of time in any concurrent or future reply requiring a petition for extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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